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Applicants hereby request that the subject patent application be withdrawn from issuance.

Withdrawal is appropriate since:

- (a) this Petition is being filed prior to issuance and prior to payment of the issue fee;
- (b) Applicants have enclosed a payment of the Petition Fee specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h); and
- (c) withdrawal is necessary because two (2) Information Disclosure Statements previously submitted by Applicants have apparently not been reviewed by the Patent Examiner.

Applicants have enclosed copies of Information Disclosure Statements filed 6/1/99 and 1/16/04, together with copies of all references listed therein and proof of prior filing in the form of postcard receipts.

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Enclosures:

(1) Postcard receipt, associated PTO/SB/08B, and 4 references originally mailed on June 3, 1999.

(2) Postcard receipt, associated Transmittal, Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A, and 9 references originally submitted on January 16, 2004.

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- Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 to Withdraw From Issue with copies of two (2) Information Disclosure Statements previously submitted by Applicants along with postcard receipts, PTO Forms SB/08, and copies of 13 cited references;
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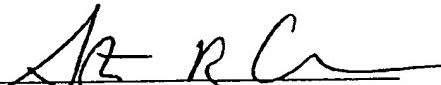
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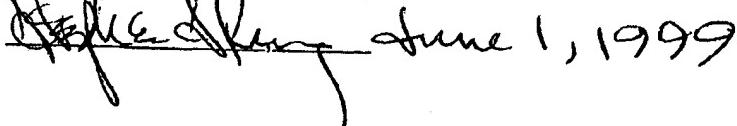
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